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1. RETAIL PRICES SO FAR OBTAINED ARE $0.3364 PER US GALLON FOR REGULAR GASOLINE (RON:90), $0.4206 PER GALLON FOR PREMIUM GASOLINE (RON: 97), $0.1402 PER GALLON FOR HOUSEHOLD KEROSENE AND $0.7407 TO $0.8148 PER US QUART FOR SAE 10W30 MOTOR LUBRICATING OIL (DEPENDING ON SUPPLIER). WILL TRY TO REPORT PRICE OF BUNKER "C" FUEL OIL ASAP. FUEL OIL USED INTERNALLY (SPEFICIFICATIONS: VISCOSITY OF 600 AT 100 DEGREES FAHRENHEIT BY REDWOOD ONE, OR KINEMATIC VISCOSITY OF AROUND 85) COST $0.0673 PER US GALLON.

2. PRICES STATED IN IRANIAN RIALS PER LITER: 6 RPT 6 FOR REGULAR GASOLINE, 7.50 FOR PREMIUM GASOLINE, 2.5 FOR HOUSEHOLD KEROSENE, AND 1.2 FOR GRADE OF FUEL OIL GIVEN ABOVE. MOTOR OIL (AS ABOVE) IS 50-55 RIALS PER US QUART.
CONVERSIONS USED FOR PARA 1 ABOVE: ONE US DOLLAR EQUALS RIALS 67.50, ONE US GALLON EQUALS 3.785 LITERS.
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